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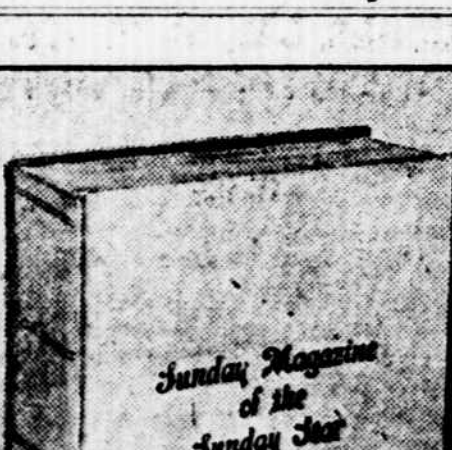
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TWO WASHINGTON BOYS CHOSEN BY THE PRESIDENT TO BE TRAINED AT ANNAPOLIS FOR SERVICE IN NAVY



Nathan Brown Chase.

Charles Dwight Sigbee.

Two District boys will soon stand up before the examining board at Annapolis with presidential appointments in their hands seeking admittance into the United States Naval Academy. Both are sons of navy families and since childhood their dreams have been of the glories of the sea and of the quarterdeck.

The boys who have been favored by the President are Charles Dwight Sigbee, son of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Charles D. Sigbee, and Nathan Brown Chase, son of the late Lieut. H. S. Chase, U.S.N. Young Chase, strictly speaking, is not a District boy, as he lives at Drummond, Md., but he was born in Washington and his home is so near the city that the top

of the Monument is visible from his front porch. Nathan Chase was born in Washington in 1880, attended the public schools, and last year left the Western High School for the army and navy preparatory school to prepare for the Annapolis examination. At the Western High School he was a member of the prize-winning drill team of 1906 and took much interest in athletics. He has two uncles in the navy, Lieut. Commanders Volney O. Chase and J. V. Chase, the former being now on duty with the bureau of ordnance. His maternal grandfather was Gen. Nathan Brown, at one time paymaster general of the army, and his great-grandfather, Gen. Jacob Brown, who served with distinction in the war of 1812.

On Familiar Ground.

Charles Sigbee will not be in a strange

country when he reaches Annapolis, for he was born at the Naval Academy when his father was an instructor in seamanship there. When he becomes a midshipman he will be the third of his family to enter the navy. His grandfather was Gen. H. H. Lockwood, who enjoys the unique distinction of serving his country in both the army and the navy. After reaching the rank of general he left the army and became a naval constructor. Charles' father commanded the battleship Maine when it was blown up in Havana harbor the night of February 15, 1898. Young Sigbee attended the public schools here and later went to the Jacob Tome Institute in Maryland. He is now at the Army and Navy Preparatory School.

IN LOCAL POLITICS

MEETINGS HELD AND CANDIDATES INDORSED.

Local politicians are busy these days preparing for the primaries, and they are keeping the pot of politics boiling vigorously as the date of the battle of the ballots approaches. Meetings of various campaign clubs and kindred organizations are being held nightly and candidates for preferment as delegates and alternates to the Chicago presidential convention are being indorsed in the several legislative districts.

Just how many candidates will be eliminated from the lists because of the financial clause of Sydney Bleber's proclamation, as published in The Star yesterday, has not yet developed, but a South Washington republican remarked today that the money requirement "would surely make some of the weaker fellows take to the high seas."

Meeting in 17th District.
At a mass meeting of colored republicans of the seventeenth district in Galilee Flanigan's Hall, F street near 3d street southwest, last evening, a resolution was adopted indorsing Henry H. Plather and R. R. Horner as delegates to the republican national convention in Chicago, June 16, and Dr. William Tindall and Daniel Murray as alternates. S. E. Jones presided and addressed the meeting. R. R. Horner, Daniel Murray, S. E. Jones and others. The presidential candidacy of Senator Foraker of Ohio was enthusiastically indorsed.

From now on it is said to be probable that republican politics in the District will be right on the fire all the time. Under the regulations promulgated yesterday by the local election board appointed by the national committee candidates must qualify for the race by March 14 and deposit \$300 for each ticket with the finance committee of the election board, of which Eldridge Jordan, president of the Traders' National Bank, is chairman. This, it is expected, will thin out the various tickets talked of and leave the issue between the Plather-Horner combination, the Burton-Patterson ticket and others.

The Sixteenth District Republican Club held a meeting at its headquarters, 110 1/2 street last evening. President Tibbs delivered an address and a number of resolutions were adopted. One of them was an indorsement of Mr. Sydney Bleber for national committee. It was stated that he club will consider the indorsement of a delegatorial ticket at its next meeting. The speakers were Col. W. H. Keyes and Messrs. Bleber, Aaron Bradshaw and Lemuel Bradshaw. A collation was served and the meeting adjourned subject to the call of President Tibbs.

The republicans of the sixth district met at 2007 E street northwest recently and organized the Citizens' Republican Club and elected the following officers: Frank Carter, president; H. Bernard H. Baggett, vice president; Morris A. Simms, secretary and treasurer; James F. Smith, sergeant-at-arms.

The executive committee appointed consisted of Lomas Gordon, chairman; J. Armstrong, W. Garner, J. D. Shepherd, Rev. W. Richardson, H. Offort and G. H. Dixon.

Eskimo Clothes.

V. Stefansson, in Harper's Magazine. When winter set in and Eskimos began to visit the ship, it soon became apparent that they were much better clothed to meet the cold than were the white explorers, though the latter carried everything that could command in the way of "an approved arctic outfit." The Finnish boots, or "finnskor," used by Nansen and other arctic explorers, were excelled both in lightness and warmth by the native boots. A single fur coat of deerskin made in Norway—such a one as has been used on most recent polar expeditions—weighed as much as an entire Eskimo suit of outer and inner garments, with boots and mittens included, and was as a wet wall cloth, while the native garments were soft as a kid glove. A well-made Eskimo suit—sleeves and boots, undergarments, trousers and coat with hood—weighed ten or eleven pounds, about as much as your spring suit, and in it you could sit comfortably on a block of snow, with your back to the wind, fishing through a hole in the ice, with a temperature of 50 degrees Fahrenheit (as the writer has repeatedly done), feeling cold nowhere, but on the face. The part of the body that must be left uncovered. We found a deerskin shirt with the hair turned in warmer, lighter and more comfortable than a woolen, and a cap unnecessary when the hooded coat is worn. There was not an item of the arctic clothing that was not advantageous, replaced by garments bought from the Eskimos; no one wore garments of European or American make if he was able to get his hands on the Eskimo equivalent.

Boots That Talk.

From The "Shoe Manufacturers' Monthly." The barbaric wearer of civilized undergarments apparently loves to hear the sound of his own footsteps. Kaffirs often ask for "boots that talk," and are ever willing to pay extra for the luxury.

FOR WELFARE OF THE CHILD

PRELIMINARIES FOR COMING INTERNATIONAL GATHERING.

List of the Delegates Appointed by the Several Governors of States.

In the preliminary preparations for the international conference on the welfare of the child, which will take place at the forthcoming sessions of the National Congress of Mothers, to be held from March 10 to March 17, at the Metropolitan Memorial M. E. Church, corner of John Marshall place and C street northwest, the governors of the several states and territories were invited to select delegates in order that the states, as such, might have formal representation.

The list of the delegates appointed in conformity with that request is thus far composed of the following:
Alabama—Mrs. Goodwyn, Robinson Springs; Mrs. Peyton Bibb and Mrs. A. P. Tyson, Montgomery; Mrs. Sterling A. Wood, Birmingham; Mrs. George W. Porter, Florence; Mrs. J. C. Converse, Selma; Mrs. Syd M. Robbins, Mobile.

California—Miss Mary Ledyard, Los Angeles.
Connecticut—Mrs. Edward Irving Atwater, New Haven.
Colorado—Mrs. Henry Hersey, Denver.
Idaho—Mrs. C. H. Singenfelder, Lewiston.

Iowa—Mrs. Walter Brown, Des Moines.
Indiana—Mrs. Felix McWhirter, Miss Alice Graydon, Mrs. Harry S. New and Mrs. Emma Eckhouse, Indianapolis.
Louisiana—Mrs. Frank DeGarmo, Shreveport; Mrs. Will Foster, Shreveport.
Massachusetts—Mrs. Francis W. Lee, Brookline.

Missouri—Mrs. W. K. James, St. Joseph.
Montana—Mrs. T. J. Walsh, Helena.
Nebraska—Mrs. R. B. Stappleton, Hastings; Mrs. R. L. McLaughlin, Vicksburg; Mrs. Hala H. Butt, Clarksville; Mrs. Chas. Thompson, Jackson.

New Jersey—Mrs. Elizabeth W. Mansell, Trenton; Mrs. W. T. Brown, East Orange; Mrs. Douglas Robinson, Overbrook; Mrs. Groves Cleland, Princeton; Dr. Mary J. Dunlap, Vineland; Mrs. Henry Dawson, Newark; Mrs. Caroline Alexander, Bensenville.

New York—Mrs. J. C. Burrows.
Ohio—Mrs. William O. Thompson, Columbus.
Oregon—Mrs. E. B. Colwell, Portland.

Pennsylvania—Mrs. William T. Hartley, Philadelphia; Mrs. George K. Johnson, Philadelphia; Mrs. Isaac Clothier, Philadelphia; Miss Mary Garrett, Philadelphia; Mrs. P. P. Lightner, Johnstown; Mrs. Fannie Sax Long, Wilkesbarre; A. M. Beiler, Philadelphia; Owen J. Roberts, Philadelphia; Dr. Martin G. Brumback, Philadelphia.

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Wyoming—Mrs. K. B. Van Orsdel, District of Columbia; Mrs. F. W. Mandell, District of Columbia; Mrs. William Sturgis Flushing, N. Y.; Mrs. P. O. Brewster, Cheyenne.

ORIENTAL BICKERING

PROGRESS OF ROW BETWEEN JAPAN AND CHINA.

Special Telegram to The Star.
TOKIO, March 6.—The Chinese government would consent to release the Tatsu temporarily, upon bonds, and also to apologize for the hauling down of the Japanese flag, but it insists upon the detention of the Mauser rifles and the ammunition that were found on board, on the ground that the Tatsu, when overhauled, was anchored in Chinese waters. Japan peremptorily objects, inasmuch as the Portuguese officials at Macao testify that the importers held a license that covered the Tatsu's cargo and the skipper held a Portuguese permit.

The only doubtful point is about the spot at which the Tatsu was anchored. It is admitted that she was ten miles from Macao. This, however, was on account of shoals, which she was waiting for an incoming tide to deepen. Anyway, Japan claims that she was in Portuguese waters. China urges that Macao is simply leased by the Portuguese. Therefore the waters are not territorial. The opinion is that China will yield after a show of resistance sufficient to satisfy her rights of recovery and the agitators. The navy of Canton has resigned in connection with the incident.

Viceroy Hunts Trouble.

Special Telegram to The Star.
HONGKONG, March 6.—The viceroy of the province of Kwangtung has determined to hold the Japanese steamship Tatsu, in spite of orders from Peking to settle the matter amicably. It is said that witnesses have been found who sustain the Chinese contentions that the arms and ammunition on board the Tatsu were for the use of Chinese revolutionaries.

SEIZURE OF THE TATSU.

Information has reached here confirming the statements that China proposed to submit to a mixed court the question of her right to seize the Japanese vessel Tatsu. Japan peremptorily declined to surrender the ship as preliminary to consideration of the case. Thus the case stands at present. It is understood here that Japan has not presented an ultimatum to China. The opinion in Washington is that if the statement of facts by Japan is correct then that country had a perfect right to demand the return of the vessel.

THINK THEY HAVE MURDERER

Suspect Held at New Orleans for Norfolk (Va.) Murder.
NEW ORLEANS, March 6.—According to a telegram received here by the police, George Hamilton and Charles Weatherbee, young men who were recently arrested in this city on a charge of smashing show windows, are wanted for murder in Norfolk, Va. Following is the message:

NEW ORLEANS, Ga.—George Hamilton, alias T. Vail, and Charles Weatherbee, alias T. C. Felker, wanted for murder. Large reward. Letter on way. (Signed) G. E. Berry.

The arrest of Hamilton and Weatherbee came as a sensation, climax to a series of daring robberies perpetrated in the heart of the business section by persons who selected jewelry windows as their targets.

Several hours after receiving the message from Rome Inspector O'Connor was called up by R. B. Berry of Chattanooga, Tenn., who, through the long-distance telephone, said that he positively identified the published pictures of Weatherbee and Hamilton as the men who murdered his brother, A. H. Berry, in a hotel in Norfolk, October 20, 1907, and robbed him of \$2,500 in money, a valuable diamond ring and some small trinkets.

Hamilton and Weatherbee deny the charge.

ROME, Ga., March 6.—The murder being investigated by the New Orleans police in connection with the arrest of Hamilton and Weatherbee was committed in Norfolk, Va., A. H. Berry being a young home man who had gone to Norfolk to see the Jamestown exposition. Berry was found in his night clothing with stab wounds in his neck and evidences of having been struck over the head with some heavy weapon. One of the men in New Orleans is supposed to come from Dalton, Ga., while the second is said to be a resident of Monroe, La. The elder Berry, accompanied by detectives, left for New Orleans late last night.

NORFOLK, Va., March 6.—A coroner's jury summoned in October last, to inquire into the circumstances and cause of the death of Alston H. Berry, returned a verdict that he came to his death from stab wounds and blows received at the

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Moon Magic.

From The London Spectator.

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The magic of the moon is part of the very fabric of English poetry—to withdraw the varied moons from the poet's pages would be to dim much radiance with twilight. Hardy's mood, from despair and madness, to the most innocent and childlike joy, but finds its reflection on the moon's changing face.

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